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Mr. Vernon A. Williams
Secretary

U. S. SURFACE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

1925 K Street, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20423-0001

Dear Mr. Williams:

Re: Roster of Arbitrators / Mediators

I had been told, by Mr. David Konschnik, of the Office of Proceedings, that this letter, with attached resumes, should be sent to your attention. If that is incorrect, may I ask you to please forward this material to the appropriate, designated individual.

I understand that the STB is considering the creation of a roster of individuals with experience in the field of transportation and in the adjudication of alternate dispute resolutions, who are independent of industry (or the government) but who understand how both the private and public sectors work and intersect with one another. To that end, my wife, Lucienne, and I would like to offer our names to be added to this roster. Each of us has expertise in the field in different areas, but both of us are experienced arbitrators/mediators.

Should you require any further information of us, we may be reached at the addresses cited on our respective personal descriptions and qualifications. When the Board formally makes a decision to create such a roster, can we be so informed? Also, if, as and when such a roster is established, can we be told whether or not our names have been added to it for consideration to conduct future hearings or negotiations, should roster members be so designated?

Thank you for your kind attention to this request.

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Part of Public Record Sincerely yours

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SUMMARY

Seasoned arbitrator/mediator with over 25 years experience in the fields of employment law, securities and related fields, intellectual property and bankruptcy.

BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

PUBLIC ARBITRATOR - Frequent Panel Chairman of three-person arbitration panels before such forums as the New York Stock Exchange, NASD Regulation, Inc., the American Arbitration Association. Decided a wide variety of topics of varying complexity, many with international aspects.

MEDIATOR - On the Roster of the U.S. Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York. Applications pending with mediation roster of NASD Regulation, Inc. and roster of arbitrators/mediators with the Register of Copyrights.

WRITER - Currently writing a book on changes in modern freight transportation, integrating acquired knowledge and expertise in maritime (ocean-going vessels and barges), truck and rail goods movement, as well as pipelines. Explaining changes in modern logistics/intermodal and distribution/warehousing as they affect the policy makers (in transportation and more generally, in politics) and the general public. The focus is on how to build major infrastructure project in urban environments where a minority of residents may have to be adversely affected for the larger public good.

ADDITIONAL BUSINESS EXPERIENCE

President – Interactive International Inc. – New York, NY July 1987 to Present Inventor of patented, trademarked, sit-down, touchscreen activated console (*IVIE*) for the presentation, on a turn-key basis, of full screen, full-motion, multi-lingual interactive video programming of our own devise. Expert in derivative intellectual property issues.

President — Bohlen Industries of North America, Inc. — New York, NY January 1980 to Present Responsible for overseeing the North American financial interests of a prominent German family. Investments in real estate, venture capital SBIC, energy projects (oil, gas and coal) as well as money market and share portfolio investments.

Second Vice President – The Chase Manhattan Bank, N.A. New York, NY June 1974 – December 1979 Credit trained lending officer in Commodity Financing Division of International Department. Prior assignment in newly-created Foreign Direct Investment Division of the Corporate Bank.

Assistant to the Vice President - Melanol Corporation - New York, NY Trader in Low Sulfur Fuel Oil and crude oil. Chartered tankers for FOB and CIF deliveries. Bought and sold bunker fuel traded internationally.

EDUCATION

M.B.A. in Finance Columbia University Graduate School of Business New York, NY B.A. with Honors in Government and International Relations Clark University, Worcester, MA

LUCIENNE CARASSO BULOW

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New York, New York 10023
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SUMMARY:

Seasoned claims professional and commercial maritime arbitrator and mediator with twenty-eight years experience.

SELECTED ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

Management Experience

• President of the Society of Maritime Arbitrators, Inc., New York. from 1997 to 2001.

Claims Handling

- Handled numerous maritime disputes and arbitrations in London before members of the London Maritime
 Arbitrators Association and in New York before members of the Society of Maritime Arbitrators, Inc.,
 saving employers millions of dollars in legal expenses.
- Negotiated settlements and participated in mediation as a party.
- Handled commodity disputes in the U.S. under the rules of the North American Export Grain Association (NAEGA) before the American Arbitration Association (AAA) and under the rules of the National Grain and Feed Association (NGFA) and in London under Grain and Feed Trade Association (GAFTA), Fats, Oils, Seeds and Feed Association (FOSFA), and ANEC Contracts.
- Handled insurance claims under Charterers Liability.
- Supervised section which computed laytime calculations and voyage estimates on time charters.
- · Operated ships.

Commercial and Maritime Arbitrator and Mediator

Wide experience as arbitrator and mediator as member of the Society of Maritime Arbitrators, Inc. (SMA), American Arbitration Association International Center of Dispute Resolution, the Panel of Arbitrators and Mediators of New York Stock Exchange and of the National Association of Securities Dealers.

Speaker

- Have written numerous papers which I have delivered at international congresses of maritime arbitrators.
- Have lectured on arbitration and mediation as President of The Society of Maritime Arbitrators, Inc.

BUSINESS EXPERIENCE:

INTERACTIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION SERVICES

2001 to date

President

Consultant, Arbitrator and Mediator in commodity and maritime disputes.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF PILOTS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK 2000 to date Commissioner

SOCIETY OF MARITIME ARBITRATORS, INC. President

1997 - 2001

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CONTINENTAL GRAIN COMPANY, New-York, NY Vice President - Arbitration/Claims Consultant

1981 - 2001

Responsible for over 150 maritime and commodity claims and arbitrations for Continental Grain Company and its affiliated companies.

BUNGE CORPORATION, New York, NY Manager, Maritime Claims

1973 - 1981

Responsible for maritime claims and arbitrations. Handled insurance claims under Charterer's Liability Policy. Supervised section which computed laytime calculations and voyage estimates on time charters. Operated ships.

While attending undergraduate and graduate schools, wide exposure to the chartering of vessels and to many of the problems which arose from it by working in family business engaged in ship and cargo brokerage.

YORK COLLEGE OF THE CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK AND STERN COLLEGE OF YESHIVA UNIVERSITY Dual Appointments as Instructor in French Literature

1971 - 1973

EDUCATION:

Ph.D., French Literature, Yale University

M.Ph., French and Italian Literature, Yale University

BA, cum laude, French and Italian Literature, Hunter College, New York, NY

AFFILIATIONS:

- 1998 Member, Arbitration Panel International Center of Dispute Resolution of American Arbitration Association
 - Chairman, Arbitration Administration Committee American Fats and Oils Association
- 1997 President of Society of Maritime Arbitrators, Inc.
 Member, Arbitration Panel NAEGA North American Export Grain Association
 Member, Arbitration Panel Board of Trade of the City of New York
 Board member United Americas Insurance Corporation
- 1996 Member of Chambre Arbitrale Maritime de Paris
- 1992 Member of the Arbitration Panels of the New York Stock Exchange and the National Association of Securities Dealers
- 1987 Supporting Member of the London Maritime Arbitration Association

HONORS:

- 1967 Woodrow Wilson Fellow
- 1966 Elected to Phi Beta Kappa, Hunter College, Junior year

LANGUAGES:

French, Italian, Spanish, some Portuguese, some Arabic